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From: Brogden, Rose

**Sent:** Mon 8/17/2015 4:13:21 PM

Subject: Re: Form submission from: Emergency Response to Gold King Mine Release Contact Us

About Emergency Response to the Gold King Mine Release form

Hello,

The US EPA has prepared the following information resource:

EPA is committed to working closely with response agencies and state and local officials to ensure the safety of citizens, respond to concerns and to evaluate impact to water contaminated by the Gold King Mine Release. EPA is sharing information as quickly as possible with the public as experts work to evaluate any effects the spill may have on drinking water, public health, agriculture, fish and wildlife. Please see our website for the latest information: http://www2.epa.gov/goldkingmine Regular updates will be posted as they are available.

EPA Hotline: 844-607-9700 (toll-free)

From: drupal\_admin@epa.gov <drupal\_admin@epa.gov> on behalf of EPA <drupal\_admin@epa.gov>

Sent: Saturday, August 15, 2015 12:07 AM

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Submitted on 08/14/2015 8:07PM Submitted values are:

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Comments: why would surface water be exclusively sampled? Why not confirm

sampling with a closed deeper sample?